

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION 1492

By Watson

A RESOLUTION to commemorate Memorial Day on May 30, 2022.

WHEREAS, Memorial Day commemorates the lives of United States military personnel who have died while serving in the United States Armed Forces; and

WHEREAS, originally known as Decoration Day, the holiday is a day on which many people visit cemeteries and memorials to honor and mourn those who gave their lives in service of our country; and

WHEREAS, in 1971, the United States Congress standardized the holiday as Memorial Day and officially set its observance to the last Monday in May; and

WHEREAS, the Volunteer State is always at the forefront of patriotism, and this observance is no exception; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED TWELFTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING, that we commemorate Memorial Day on May 30, 2022, and express our highest gratitude for those who have given their lives to preserve our liberties and our safety.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy and upon proper request made to the appropriate clerk, the language appearing immediately following the State seal appear without House or Senate designation.